

Course Details:

CHC30121 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care

Course Aims

This qualification reflects the role of workers in a range of early childhood education settings who work within the requirements of the Education and Care Services National Regulations and the National Quality Standard. Support the implementation of an approved learning framework, and support children’s wellbeing, learning and development. Depending on the setting, educators may work under direct supervision or autonomously.

Course Delivery

Location and Times

Year 1: Cire Services, Level 1, 7-9 John Street, Lilydale. Wednesday 9:00am - 12:30pm

Year 2: Cire Services, Level 1, 7-9 John Street, Lilydale. Wednesday 1:00pm – 4:30pm

Mode of Delivery Face to Face delivery and online

Duration: 2 years part time

On successful completion of this program the student will achieve:

Credit towards VCE, VCE VM, VPC and Intermediate VCAL

All VET in school programs contribute units towards VCE and VCE VM. To confirm the number of units and if the program has a scored assessment and therefore a study score, please refer to the following VCCA Get VET resource:

[VCE-VET-program-chart.pdf](#)

Further information can be found on the VTAC website: www.vtac.edu.au and/or www.vcaa.vic.edu.au

Qualification: A nationally recognised qualification: **CHC30121 - Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care**

Additional Requirements/ Information:

Name of RTO & Provider of Qualification:

Cire Services

TOID: 4150

RTO Student Information:

Please refer to www.mullumvetcluster.com.au for student rights and responsibilities while on campus.

OHS / Personal Protective Equipment: Students will need a Cire Training polo shirt for placement.

Excursions: NA

Work Placement: Cire Training requires all our VETDSS students to undertake a minimum of 80 hours of SWL spread across the two years of the program, this being 40 hours annually. If you undertake 80 hours of structured workplace learning and the workplace learning record in one year you can provide one general credit for VCE/VCE VM.

Other: NA

Future Pathways and Opportunities:

Complementary studies:	The course is a partial completion, once you have completed your two-year VETDSS program, you can apply to complete the remaining units to be able to graduate from the CHC30113 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food Technology • Health & Human Development • Psychology
Pathways:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bachelor of Early Childhood Studies • Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care • Bachelor of Education 	
Possible Future Career Opportunities:	<p>A range of employment opportunities including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early Childhood Education Assistant • Outside School Hours Care Assistant • Play Group Supervisor 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kindergarten Assistant • Family Day Care Educator • Nanny • Childcare Educator/Assistant

Units of Competency:

Year 1: Competencies covered in the first year:

Unit Code	Unit Name	Nominal Hours	Core/Elective
CHCECE031	Support children's health, safety and wellbeing	160	C
CHCECE056	Work effectively in children's education and care	65	C
HLTWHS001	Participate in workplace health and safety	20	C
CHCDIV001	Work with diverse people	40	E
CHCPRT001	Identify and respond to children and young people at risk	40	C
Total nominal hours		325	

Year 2: Competencies covered in the second year:

Unit Code	Unit Name	Nominal Hours	Core/Elective
CHCECE033	Develop positive and respectful relationships with children	100	C
CHCECE034	Use an approved learning framework to guide practice	80	C
CHCECE037	Support children to connect with the natural environment	50	C
CHCECE055	Meet legal and ethical obligations in children's education and care	60	C
Total nominal hours		290	

